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VIA FOIAONLINE

National Freedom of Information Officer
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Records, FOIA and Privacy Branch
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW (2822T)
Washington, DC 20460

Re: Request for Information Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act

Dear Sir or Madam:

This is a request pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), 5 U.S.C. § 552, *et seq.*, on behalf of the Acetochlor Registration Partnership ("ARP") for copies of certain records contained in the ARP's EPA registration files for Acetochlor (the ARP's company number is 66478). This includes, but is not limited to, letters, e-mails, EPA memoranda, and any other documents concerning, relating to, and/or supporting these records. In particular, we seek copies of:

- Regulatory correspondence between EPA and the ARP (and its member companies Dow AgroSciences LLC and Monsanto Company) from 01/01/2000 to the present related to Acetochlor;

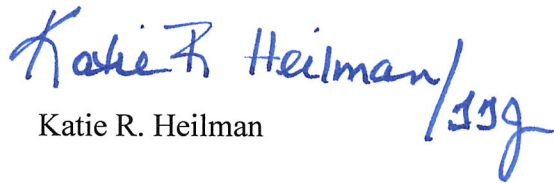
and

- Data Evaluation Records ("DERs") for ARP studies identified on the attached list.

The ARP is seeking its own data, thereby alleviating any concerns regarding Confidential Business Information ("CBI"). Enclosed with this FOIA request are letters from Dow AgroSciences and Monsanto authorizing the release of the requested information to Arent Fox LLP.

We would be pleased to pay reasonable costs related to duplicating and shipping the requested information. Please contact me should it appear that the costs will exceed \$500. If I may be of any assistance with this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at (202) 857-6026. Thank you in advance for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Katie R. Heilman in blue ink, with the name 'Katie R. Heilman' and a stylized flourish.

Katie R. Heilman

Attachments

List of ARP Studies:

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45730201
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Re: *FOIA Requests Seeking Data of the Acetochlor Registration Partnership*

Dear Mr. Gottesman:

This is to confirm that the law firm of Arent Fox LLP represents the Acetochlor Registration Partnership (the "ARP"), comprising Monsanto Company and Dow AgroSciences LLC. Accordingly, we would appreciate your providing Arent Fox LLP with access to and copies of any and all ARP documents and records, in whatever form, that are requested by the law firm pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act or other appropriate means.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the undersigned. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Regards,

John M. Rebman
Sr. Corporate Counsel, Regulatory Law & Policy
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cc: Arent Fox LLP, c/o Katie Heilman, Esq.



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Regards,


Jamie Lord
Senior Counsel
Dow AgroSciences

cc: Arent Fox LLP, c/o Katie Heilman, Esq.